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OPTOMETRY

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W. A. VAWTER, Optometrist with

WEST SIDE SQUARE *The Kelley-Kauter Jewelry Co.* MARSHALL, MO.

DEATHS.

THEODORE ENGLAND, junior member of the firm of England Bros., harrow manufacturers, died Friday night at 9:45, at his home on North Ellsworth, of appendicitis aged 25 years, 5 months and 1 day. He was sick only eight days.

Mr. England was a splendid young business man with fine prospects. He was married last February 17th to Miss Mamie Bradley, of Ennis, Texas, who is grief-stricken over his untimely death.

He was formerly a traveling salesman and located here to engage in business on Feb. 1st, and the fact that he had \$2300 cash in bank at the time of his death besides his business investment shows that he was very successful. His remains were taken to Texas for burial by his wife.

WILLIAM H. CUNNINGHAM departed this life at the home of his son, George, in Miami, July 9, 1909. He had been in Kansas for a visit and returned five weeks ago feeling very badly and three weeks ago became so weak with lung trouble that he was compelled to stay in his bed. He coughed a great deal but never suffered much pain but grew weaker and his body became more emaciated each day until the vital spark went out. Mr. Cunningham was born June 19, 1841, in Salvisa, Ky., and was aged 68 years and 20 days. He was married in 1867, February 7th, to Miss Sarah E. Nelson of Ky. She preceded him to the grave April 6, 1908, aged 61 years. Five children were born to this union as follows, George F., Edward V., William H., Mrs. Mary R. Walker and Mrs. Lula S. Burns. It was the privilege of these children and a widowed sister, Mrs. Nelson to be at his bedside in his last hours. Mr. Cunningham moved to Saline county from Ky., in 1871 and with the exception of about two years at Frankfort, he has lived in or near Miami for about 38 years. He was a member of the Christian church in Miami. Truly a good man has gone and left his near ones with sad hearts but his influence like an ever widening circle reaches beyond the grave. He was a great favorite among the young folks and they will ever remember the merry twinkle of his eye and the pleasant smiling face their old friend had for them when they met. In short the whole community mourns over the loss of a good citizen whose memory shall live when all that is mortal of him shall perish.

Oh not the Spirit sleeps
But as the way-worn pilgrim shuts his eyes
Christ gently whispers to his dying spirit:
"To-day is Paradise."
—Mrs. A. P. Bishop, Miami.
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Uncalled for Letters

Remaining in the postoffice at Marshall, Mo. If not called for in fifteen days will be sent to the dead letter office at Washington, D. C.

Misses Irma Thornton, Parlee Tomson and Maggie Williams.
Mesdames B. Anderson, Grace Irvin, Wm Parks.
Harold Carral, O. T. Steudle, W. M. Ward.

L. W. VAN DYKE, P. M.

There's a reason! Watch for the big red mark.

Attempted Suicide.

Taylor Brandenburg, who has been working in the country west of town came home Sunday to get his working clothes. Because of a slight disagreement with his sister he took a razor and slashed his throat that afternoon severing the jugular vein and wind pipe. He claimed later that he was only trying to scare his folks and thought he was using the back of the razor. He is about 23 years old and a son of Mrs. Sallie Brandenburg of South Salt Pond Ave.

He has been in a critical condition since then but will very likely recover.

Base Ball Notes.

Whittington's Marshall team was defeated at Higginsville Sunday in a score of 9 to 3.

The Marshall Merchants will play the Higginsville team at Briarbois park on July 25th at 2 p. m. Immediately following this game they will play the Napton Buds—one admission.

The Merchants will also play the Alma boys at Alma on Aug. 1st. Also the Corder boys here on Aug. 8th.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Vaughn U. Marshall
Virgie Price, Marshall
Elmer Fielden, Slater
Lillie Porter, Slater
Roger Norvell, Slater
Sallie Edgar, Slater

Among Our Sick

Mrs. Frank Stockman, of northeast of Malta Bend was reported very low of pneumonia Wednesday.

The baby son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Buckner has been very ill the past week.

Dr. A. C. Putnam reported Mrs. D. H. Green of Shackelford very ill of typhoid fever yesterday. Her two-months old baby also is very sick of whooping cough.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Elisea's little son fell Tuesday evening and cut a painful gash on his forehead.

Accidents

Henry Hibbard, of southwest of Malta Bend, was kicked by a mule on Thursday of last week, but we are unable to give the extent of his injuries.

Lee Wyrick, of Sweet Springs, was badly hurt last Friday morning by being kicked by a horse.

J. T. Harris of near Nelson was a Marshall visitor Tuesday. He is suffering from a very painful crushed foot, caused by his horse stepping upon it a week ago.

Births

A new son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Black Saturday morning at their home on South Salt Pond—just in time for the circus! But Mr. Black was so elated that he forgot all about the circus and stayed home to entertain the young fellow.

On Western Trip.

J. S. Treece, John Shellenberger, Everett McMahan and Will Clark, of the Herndon neighborhood left Monday afternoon on a three weeks western trip. They will go to the land drawing at Missoula, Mont., and will also visit Idaho, Spokane and Seattle Exposition.

Church Notes.

Rev. Clinton Senneff will preach Sunday morning and evening at the First M. E. Church.

The revival meeting at Blue Lick conducted by Revs. Senneff and Garrett was a splendid success. There were five conversions and nine new members joined the church. Four persons were baptized Wednesday. Regular services will be held at Blue Lick hereafter on the third Sunday of each month. Revs. Senneff and Garrett will move their tent to Norton and commence a three weeks meeting Saturday. We bespeak for them a good attendance.

As District Superintendent Jones was called away Sunday, Rev. Senneff filled his place at Malta Bend Sunday evening and Monday morning in holding the quarterly conference there.

The ladies of the Salem Christian church, five miles east of Marshall, will give an ice cream supper on Friday night July 30th. In case of rain it will be postponed to Saturday night. Everybody invited.

Local Items

L. A. Brown of Orearville handed us his renewal on show day.

Wm. F. Redman is in Colorado looking after some mining stock.

Mrs. Mary Brandon and daughter Miss May spent Wednesday at their farm near Salt Springs.

Rev. J. S. Smith and family are enjoying a visit from their son, G. A. Smith and wife of Brookfield.

Miss M. A. Clough left Wednesday for Charlotte, Vermont, to visit her uncle and aunt several months.

Miss Kidd, of east of town honored our office with a visit Monday to renew for her brother, Frank Kidd, Jr.

Miss Palmer, of White's Ladies' Furnishing Store, returned Tuesday from a month's visit in St. Louis.

Louis Schanz and son Roscoe, were here yesterday from near Longwood delivering their wheat to the mill.

B. C. Buie, of near Sweet Springs was here to see the circus Saturday and also remembered the Republican by renewing.

Misses Rosa and Minna Richter and Minnie Mauch are visiting Miss Amelia Solomon at her country home northwest of this city.

Misses Florence and Catherine Patterson were the hostesses at a very pleasant party at the Elks' Club rooms on Tuesday evening.

We have three interesting letters from a distance that are unavoidably omitted this week, but we hope to give them next week.

Herman Ludwig and daughters, Misses Clara and Stella left Wednesday for Seattle to take in the exposition and also to visit other Western points.

J. M. Houston returned to his home at Grand Pass yesterday after a pleasant visit with G. Eberle, north of Slater; Fay Peace, Marshall; and L. A. Barger, Cretcher.

Mrs. W. K. James, late president of the Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs of St. Joseph, Mo., is expected shortly at the Academy where she will spend some weeks with the Sisters.

Miss Edith Lake, of St. Louis, returned Saturday after a several months visit to her relatives, the Schiesler family. She says she had a royal good time. Her uncle Frank Schiesler, will be up from St. Louis soon to make the boys sit up and take notice.

W. E. Shackelford informed us that he received a draft yesterday for \$3000 for Mrs. Lawless, from the Modern Woodmen of America, being Elmer Lawless' life insurance. It was received just 11 days after Mr. Shackelford had sent in notice of his death.

Henry Green, of east of town, was among our new subscribers Saturday.

Good Prices at Sale

The DeGarmo & Hyland sale Wednesday of last week was not a big success in points of attendance and volume of business, but the stock that was sold brought good prices. Weather conditions and a busy time with farmers made against the sale, but the sales in future promise well and we hope our readers will take advantage of them. List your stock at once.

Winn Did Not Win

One of our local papers last week published the fact that Mr. Winn the gardener, brought in a 14-lb. cabbage and claimed himself entitled to a blue ribbon. On invitation of Hardy Green we drove out to his cabbage patch west of town and selected a cabbage head and found it to weigh 17 lbs. This is pretty good considering the fact that most of the big heads had already been marketed. In Boone county they consider a 10-lb head very large as the following special shows:

Columbia, Mo., July 9.—Dr. Frank G. Nifong, formerly a professor in the school of medicine at the University of Missouri, marketed today what is said to be the largest head of cabbage ever raised in Boone county. It weight ten lbs.

Some Narrow Escape

J. F. Miles Saturday told us of a narrow escape Harry Jolly had on his place near Herndon Tuesday of last week. He picked up a bundle of wheat to throw it aside when he uncovered a large rattlesnake measuring 4 feet and 8 inches in length and 9 inches in circumference, having 14 rattles and a button. They killed the snake and feel fortunate that they escaped a bite.

J. H. Lakin, several miles east of the Miles place, had two narrow escapes recently. While pulling weeds last week he got his hands very close to a vicious rattlesnake. His attention was attracted by the rattling in time to avoid being bitten. Several days later he came near picking up another rattlesnake when he picked up some wood from his woodpile. He says he killed both rattlers and found they each had 7 rattles and a button. He thinks he might have killed some more if he hadn't been too busy at other things!

Galveston Saved by Sea Wall.

A big gulf storm Wednesday cut off Galveston, Texas, from outside communication and it was generally supposed that a repetition of the 1900 storm had taken place at which time 6000 people were killed. Fortunately though the big sea wall recently built saved the city from all but a moderate damage and no lives are reported lost.

Stray Notice.

I have taken up a white face brindle steer, with horns, aged about 1 year. Came to my place, the Blalock farm, one and a half miles east of Marshall on July 13th.

JEFF HOWARD,
Marshall, Mo.

C. & A. Track Repaired.

The first trains crossed the Glasgow break Monday evening and traffic on the C. & A. is again returning to normal conditions.

LOCAL MARKET.

Corrected July 23d by United States Packing Co.
Butter 16c
Eggs 15c
Beans 10c
Roasters 4c
Spring Chickens 15c
Turkeys 10c
Ducks 7c
Geese 4c

Corrected by Rea & Page.
Wheat \$1.00
Corn70

J. P. Carter of near Slater made the editor feel good Thursday by leaving several dollars for renewal.

Small town people sometimes fall into the habit of running down their own place in conversation. This is almost as bad as saying you wish you had married another woman. But you'll never have another chance to get another town until you improve the one you're in so that you'll love it for its own sake. Be kind to your place and it will be kind to you.—Edina Democrat.

Criminal Court.

Chester Brown, col., was sentenced to 9 years in the penitentiary for robbing Rose & Buckner's store at Slater.

Mitchell Williams and John King col., of Miami both plead guilty to burglary, but sentence has not been passed.

Joe Thompson, col., who recently attempted to rob and kill Mrs. Julia Pittman, plead guilty to several charges, but has not been sentenced.

J. W. Goferro, who shot John Spangler, had his trial set for Nov. 1st.

J. A. Barker, charged with bigamy will be tried on August 10th.

A new bigamy case is on the docket et. J. M. Walker was arrested Monday on the old Hill place near Cambridge and lodged in the county jail on a charge of bigamy. He recently married Mrs. Sarah Hill. His trial is also set for August 10th.

The case of State vs. Henry Borchers from near Blackburn was being tried yesterday afternoon. Borchers is charged with assault with attempt to kill Jesse Neer, having attacked it is charged, Mr. Neer with a pitchfork.

City Council

The city council met in regular session Monday night, with all members present.

Committee recommends that city furnish labor to put in tile at Frank Latimer's if he furnishes the tile.

Petition for electric light at Lafayette and Summit streets filed and referred to light committee.

On motion, city clerk's semi-annual report was accepted and ordered published in the Saline Citizen.

On motion it was ordered that the city bear no part of the expense of oiling and grading Yerby street.

East end of Morgan street ordered cleaned by street commissioner.

On motion, it was ordered that the city employes report at the city hall at 7 o'clock a. m. and at 1 o'clock p. m. each day and register.

City clerk ordered to make out cut-off list and deliver same to water superintendent.

On motion it was ordered that the contract for furnishing coal for the water works for the year beginning July, 1909 and ending July 1910 be awarded to the Western Coal and Mining company at \$2.60 per ton, city weights to govern settlement. Lexington deep shaft hand picked coal.

The bids for coal were as follows
T. T. Huff, \$2.60 per ton for parlor block, mine weight and \$3.00 weight over city scales. Colvert Bros., \$2.50 per ton Higginsville lump on track at water works, mine weight \$2.85 per ton over city scales; Farmers coal Co., \$2.50 on switch track, mine weight to govern settlement. Western Coal and Mining Co., \$2.60 per ton for Lexington deep shaft hand picked coal delivered in bins at water works.

Ordinance No. 215 abolishing the office of water collector of the city of Marshall and providing for the duties of said office to be performed by the city clerk, passed 8 yes. John H. Mitchell, deputy Marshal, W. C. Thompson, water superintendent; Wm. Schreckler, jailer and James R. Flynn night watch all re-appointed for six months.

C. D. Alexander, city clerk, re-appointed for one year, beginning April 1909. L. C. Ehrman, weigh master also re-appointed.

Ordinance No. 217 authorizing the issue of a bond of the city of Marshall in the sum of forty-five hundred dollars in anticipation of the current revenue for the present fiscal year, passed. Council adjourned to meet Friday July 23d.

CAPITOL HILL.

Miss Nellie Pollard of Slater has been the guest of Mrs. B. F. Daniel. Deputy Sheriff Fowler was in our vicinity Monday afternoon.

N. J. Giger and family and John Hustedde and family are staying at the home of H. Clay Duncan.

Miss Inez Brown of near Marshall who has been the guest of Miss Lillian Duncan has returned home.

Louis Bourgeois and family are occupying Oak Grove school house during the high water.

Misses Leja Goodman and George Deer visited Misses Lillian and Julia Duncan Thursday afternoon. Misses Vinda and Dixie Daniel visited their aunt Mrs. Jas. M. Walker Wednesday.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKET

Special to Marshall Republican.

National Stock Yards, Ill. July 20. Cattle receipts 10,000. Market generally 10c lower than yesterday or 15 to 25c lower than a week ago on all but prime finished steers and good to choice yearlings and light weight steers, which are in good demand, and are selling fully as high as this time last week. Most of the good to choice steers going now at \$6.50 to \$7.00, with the medium to good steers at 5.50 to 6.25; good to choice heifers 5.50 to 6.50. Good to choice cows 4.25 to 5.00. Canners largely at 2.00 to 2.50. Good bulls 4.00 to 4.75 and sausage bulls 3.00 to 3.50. Stockers and feeders also have weakened good feeders going. Good stock heifers 3.25 to 3.75. Veal calves strong top 7.75. Outlook steady on the choice grades, weak on others.

Hog receipts 8000. Quality only fair. Market opened fully steady with yesterday and top sold up to 8.30, but the late trade was 5 to 10c lower, and we regard the outlook only fair for the next few days. Good heavy hogs sold at 8.15 to 8.30; mixed and butchers 7.90 to 8.10; mixed packers 7.75 to 8.10. Good pigs 7.25 to 7.75; light pigs 6.00 to 7.00.

Sheep receipts 8000. Demand good. Market strong to a shade higher; good sheep sold relatively higher than other kinds. Top lambs 7.75; good ones largely at 7.00 to 7.50; common to medium lambs 4.50 to 6.00. Good mutton sheep 4.50 to 4.75. Choice wethers around 5c per lb. Good breeding ewes 5.00 to 5.75. Outlook steady to strong.

NATIONAL LIVESTOCK COMMISSION CO.

NEWS AMONG COLORED FOLKS.

Eli Green, col., informed us Saturday that his father, Gilbert Green, had died at his home in Garden City, Kansas, on June 8th, aged 65 years, of kidney trouble. He was a well known and splendid citizen of our county until recently. Besides his son, Eli, he leaves three other sons, Henry, Joseph and Virgil and two daughters, Mrs. Fannie Neff and Mrs. Nora Payne.

The Second Baptist church will give a picnic on the church ground in East Marshall on Saturday July 31st, in honor of its pastor Rev. Isaac Mills. A good program has been prepared. All welcome.

Rev. M. Denny announces that his church at Blackburn will give a big picnic on August 7th. Prof. H. L. Billups, of Wiley University will be the principal speaker.

Geo. Williams, col., who escaped about a week ago after cutting his wife was captured in East Marshall by Deputy Sheriff Fowler Tuesday and will have to stand trial.

EDWARD CARPER, col., the well known barber on West North street, died suddenly of heart failure Sunday morning, July 18th at 2:15 a. m. aged about 45 years. He was at his shop until midnight and seemed in his usual good health. Several hours later his wife was awakened by his heavy breathing but he died before assistance could be called. He was rather fleshy and a sufferer from heart trouble. He was a prominent member of the colored Masonic lodge and his remains were buried Monday afternoon with Masonic honors, after services at the A. M. E. church in East Marshall. He is survived by his wife and four children.

HATTIE WEBB the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Webb, col., of north of Napton, died Saturday, July 17th, of summer complaint, aged 1 year and 8 months. The remains were laid to rest at Napton Sunday afternoon after services conducted by Rev. Henry Green.

Dr. J. L. Russell

..DENTIST..

Farmers' Savings Bank Building,

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